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NORTH WILMINGTON MAN ARRESTED ON CHILD PORNOGRAPHY CHARGES

Leonard Wasylyk, age 48, of North Wilmington, was arrested today and charged with transportation and possession of child pornography. David C. Weiss, United States Attorney for the District of Delaware, announced the arrest following Wasylyk's initial appearance before United States Magistrate Judge Mary Pat Thynge. Wasylyk was ordered detained pending a hearing scheduled for Wednesday, December 15, 2010.

According to a criminal complaint filed today, agents from the United States Department of Homeland Security executed a search warrant at Wasylyk's North Wilmington residence this morning. Law enforcement agents recovered a computer from Wasylyk's bedroom found to contain numerous images of child pornography depicting mostly underage boys.

Members of the public with any information about this case are encouraged to contact the Department of Homeland Security's Wilmington office at (302) 428-0104, option 3.

Criminal complaints are only charges and are not evidence of guilt. A defendant is presumed to be innocent until and unless proven guilty.

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